



ST JOSEPH'S and HOLY FAMILY

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Mass Times and Intentions for – TWENTY FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - 18th September 2022

Saturday 17 th September	6.00 pm (Vigil)	Carole Travis (1 st Ann. 6.9)	
Sunday 18 th September TWENTY FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	9.00 am 10.00 am HF 11.00 am 5.30 pm	Ita O'Hara (RIP) William Nearly (12 th Ann.) Michael Slim (3 rd Ann. 13.9) People of the Parish	Tea & Coffee after 11.00am Mass
Monday FUNERAL OF HM QUEEN ELIZABETH II	9.30 am HF <u>9.00 am</u>	NO MASS Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II	Ferial
Tuesday	9.30 am HF 12.00 noon	Moria Galbraith (RIP) Peter Smethurst (10 th Ann. 19.9)	Ss Andrew Kim TaegOn, Paul ChOng Ha-sang & Companions
Wednesday	9.30 am HF 9.15 am	NO MASS Roy Houghton (14 th Ann.)	St Matthew
Thursday	9.30 am HF 12.00 noon	Claire Massey (Get Well) Joan (Special Intention)	Tea & Toast after Mass HF Ferial v
Friday	9.30 am HF <u>8.30 am</u>	NO MASS Ann O'Connor	St Pius of Pietrelcina (Padre Pio)
Saturday 24 th September	12.00 noon 6.00 pm (Vigil)	Kathleen Hoban (RIP) Anastasia Tansey (Ann.)	Our Lady of Walsingham
Sunday 25 th September TWENTY SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	9.00 am 10.00 am HF 11.00 am 5.30 pm	John Muldoon (6 th Ann. 24.9) Yvonne & Warren Francis Marion Miller (90 th B'day Rem.) People of the Parish	
SACRAMENT OF CONFESSION 11.00am – 11.50am Saturdays or by appointment	SACRED HEART LAMP This week the lamp is lit for William Boyd Grierson on his 1 st Anniversary RIP		LAST WEEK'S OFFERING Collection over week /weekend ending 4 th September 2022 SJ £1513.54 HF £316.61

MAY THE CHOIRS OF ANGELS COME TO GREET YOU AND SPEED YOU TO PARADISE

At this time we pray for the repose of the soul of Her Majesty, Queen Elizabeth II. We do so with confidence, because the Christian faith marked every day of her life and activity.

In her Millennium Christmas message, she said 'To many of us, our beliefs are of fundamental importance. For me the teachings of Christ and my own personal accountability before God provide a framework in which I try to lead my life. I, like so many of you, have drawn great comfort in difficult times from Christ's words and example.'

This faith so often and so eloquently proclaimed in her public messages, has been an inspiration to people. The wisdom, stability and service which she consistently embodied, often in circumstance of extreme difficulty, are a shining legacy and testament to her faith.

Our prayer is that she is now received into the merciful presence of God, there to be reunited with her beloved Prince Philip. This is the promise of our faith, and our deep consolation.

Queen Elizabeth II will remain, always, a shining light in our history. May she now rest in peace.

Cardinal Vincent Nicholls

Entrance Antiphon : I am the salvation of the people says the Lord.; Should they cry to me in any distress, I will hear them and I will be their Lord for ever.

Responsorial Psalm : Praise the Lord, who raises the poor.

Gospel Acclamation : Alleluia, Alleluia! Open our heart, O Lord to accept the words of your Son. Alleluia!

Communion Antiphon: You have laid down your precepts to be carefully kept; may my ways be firm in keeping your statutes.

Year C Amos 8: 4-7 Psalm 112 Timothy 2: 1-8 Luke 16: 1-19

XAVERIAN MISSIONARIES

Next weekend, we welcome Father John Convery of the St Francis Xavier Foreign Mission Society who will preach the Annual Mission Appeal.

He will celebrate all Masses at St. Joseph's. Please give him the normal St. Joseph's warm welcome.

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE

The CWL meeting due to be held tomorrow (Monday) has been cancelled out of respect for Her Majesty the Queen. May she rest in peace.

The next meeting will be Monday 17th October.

ST BERNADETTE RELIC TOUR 2022

The relic will be coming to Salford Cathedral this Tuesday 20th & Wednesday 21st September. Tuesday the visitation times are from 4.00pm -5.00pm and

6.30pm – 8.00pm. At 9.00pm there is a torch light procession which Father Stephen will be attending.

All are welcome to join him.

Wednesday there are open visits from 9.00am until 11.30am and 3.00pm until 5.30pm.

All other details can be found on their website.

<http://www.stbernadette.org.uk>.

FIRST FORGIVENESS AND HOLY COMMUNION IN 2023

The programme of preparation for the children who will celebrate their First Sacraments in the coming year will begin soon. No firm dates have been set yet. However, if your child is at a Non-Catholic School and is 7 years old or above and in year 3 or above and would like to celebrate their First Forgiveness and Holy Communion, please collect a Form of Enrolment from the Sacristy.

It is very important that the children are enrolled before the course begins.

For more information, please speak to Father Woolley.

HOLY FAMILY AND ST. JOSEPH'S PARENTS AND TODDLER GROUP

The toddler group has now reopened after the summer break. The session starts at 9.15am in the Holy Family Parish Centre. The cost is £3.00 and this includes soft drinks and toast for the children followed by refreshments for the adults.

Further details can be obtained from Bernard Donoghue (0161 973 4981) or Jane Simister (0161 969 9193).

COMMENDED TO GOD

We hold in loving memory and prayers, **Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II, Peter Ellicott, Margaret Beck and David Law** who have died recently.

May they rest in peace.

We extend to their families and friends our deepest sympathy at this sad and extremely difficult time.

Death is not extinguishing the light.

It is putting out the lamp because the dawn has come.

CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to Sophie Hurst and Henry Hall on their marriage last weekend at St Oswald's, Lower Peover, C of E church where Sophie attends. Henry is a parishioner of St. Joseph's and Father Stephen was delighted to be able to attend and give them their nuptial blessing.

May Sophie & Henry be blessed with long lives together of good health and happiness.

QUEEN ELIZABETH II

Due to the funeral service for Her Majesty the Queen, Mass on Monday morning will be at 9.00am at St. Joseph's. This will enable people to come to Mass, which will be offered for the repose of the soul of the Queen, and be home in time for the funeral.

Additionally, this evening Sunday, 18th September at 6.00pm a Civic Service of Commemoration and Thanksgiving for the Life of Her Late Majesty Queen Elizabeth II will be held at St. Paul's Church, Springfield Road attended by His Worship the Mayor Cllr. Christopher Boyes and the Mayoress Mrs. Pamela Boyes.

DRIVERS WANTED

Do you attend the 6.00pm Saturday evening Mass? We have an elderly couple who now no longer drive and live on the Ashton side of Washway Road. Would you be willing to give them a lift? The more drivers the fewer occasions you would be called upon – your name/contact details to Fr Stephen or call Kieron Walsh 07785 344102. Thank you.

HOLY FAMILY & ST JOSEPH'S

CAFOD GROUPS

The coffee morning at Holy Family last Sunday raised £145 and the recent collection at St. Joseph's raised £1611.18, for the Pakistan Appeal and to support the East Africa famine.

A big thank you goes to all who attended the coffee morning and for the continued generosity of members of the parishes.

MASS OF ALL NATIONS – Thank you

Father Stephen would like to thank all those who were involved in enabling us to celebrate the Mass of All Nations last Sunday after a three year gap.

Special thanks to our music group, both musicians and singers; all those who brought wonderful food dishes from across the world; those who prepared the flags and the children who carried them in.

What an incredibly moving and memorable way to honour our Beloved Queen whilst celebrating the extraordinary diversity and joy of our St. Joseph's and Holy Family parish community. We look forward to celebrating again next year.

MANCHESTER HALF MARATHON

The Manchester Half Marathon this year is on Sunday 9th October. There is a new route this year but some access to St. Joseph's and Holy Family may still be affected. Please go to <https://www.manchesterhalfmarathon.com> for details.

SAINTS CLUB

Saints Club winners for August are

1 st Prize	St Paula
2 nd Prize	Blessed Junipero Serra
3 rd Prize.	St Flannan

ST JOSEPH'S REPOSITORY

New this week..... We have a number of 2023 catholic diaries and 2023 religious calendars (small and medium sized) Also, a number of boxed Christmas cards – 18 per box for £2.99. More Christmas items arriving soon.

BITESIZE

We can tell our values by looking at our cheque book stubs.

Gloria Steinem